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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Tarro et al.  
Serial No. : 09/125,122  
Filed : August 11, 1998  
For : PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING  
NATURAL HUMAN  $\alpha$ -INTERFERON

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING  
REQUIREMENTS UNDER U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES  
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Sir:

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(X) Name of inventor and application serial number;

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(X) Name of inventor, attorney docket number which was on the application as filed, and filing date of the application;

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(X) Name of inventor, title of invention and filing date;

( ) Name of inventor, title of invention and reference to a specification which is attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and filed with the oath or declaration;

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- ( ) Name of inventor, title of invention. As presently advised, the undersigned, a registered attorney, states that the application filed in the PTO is the application which the inventor executed by signing the oath or declaration.

Also enclosed are:

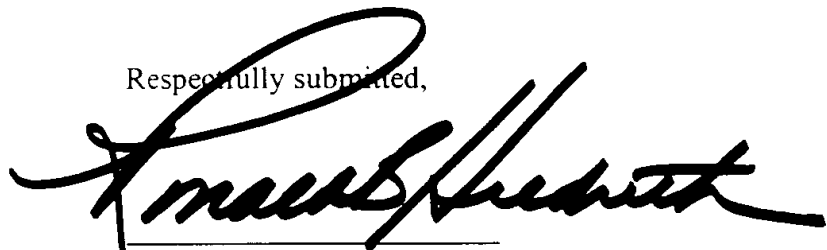
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2. (X ) An extension of time to file the Response  
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Respectfully submitted,



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